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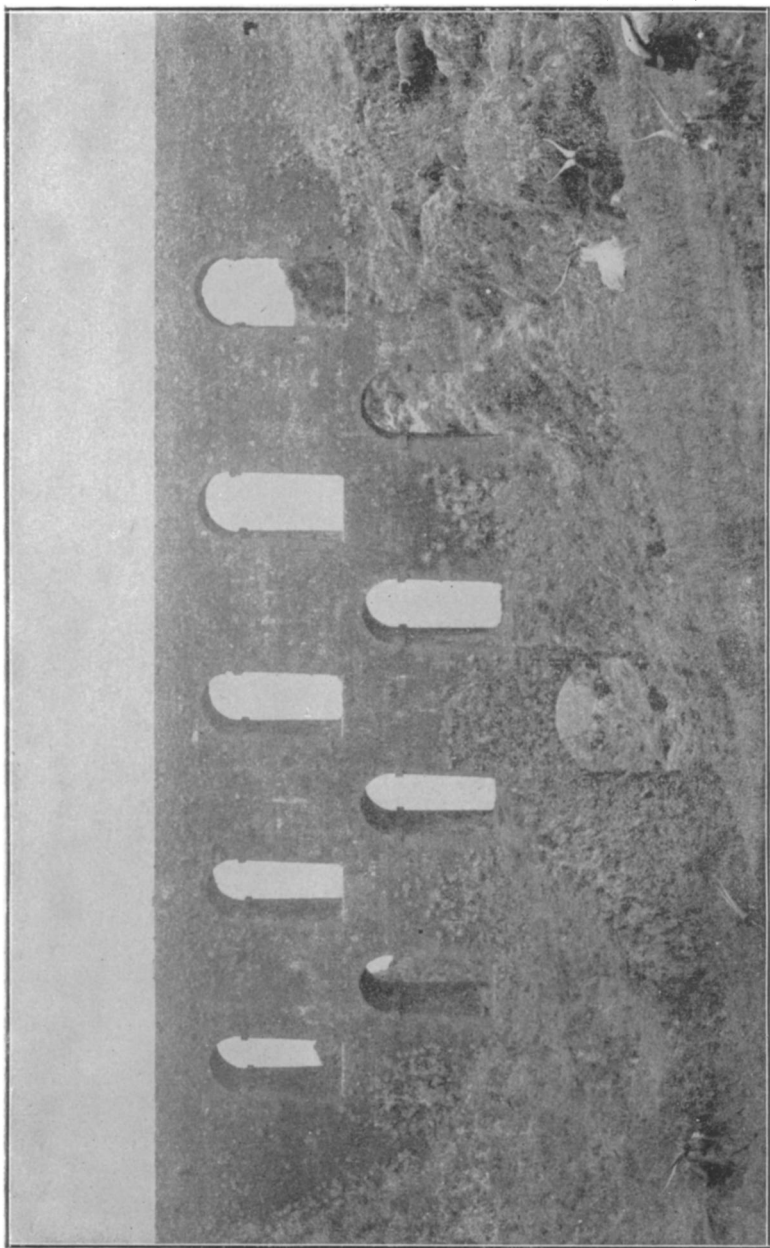
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PREFACE.

Under direction of the Board of Trustees, the eighth annual report of the Missouri Botanical Garden is presented to the public. The seventh report was issued May 23, 1896. Advance copies of M. Cardot's papers on Mosses of the Azores and of Madeira were issued April 14, 1897.

The reports of the Garden are sent regularly to scientific institutions and journals, in exchange for publications or specimens desirable for the library, herbarium, or plant-houses of the Garden. So far as possible, reprints of the botanical articles which they contain are sent to botanists occupied with a study of the same subjects.

Any of the Garden publications not out of print may be purchased, at approximately the cost of publication, from Dr. A. E. Foote, of Philadelphia, the Cambridge Botanical Supply Co., of Cambridge, Mass., W. Wesley & Son, of London, R. Friedländer & Sohn, of Berlin, or the undersigned. A list of the papers thus far published is to be found at page 221 of the present volume.

WILLIAM TRELEASE.

St. Louis, July 31, 1897.

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